



Docket No.: 1614.1377

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Morihiro NOTANI, et al.

Serial No. 10/754,724

Group Art Unit: 2419

Confirmation No. 6091

Filed: January 12, 2004

Examiner: TSEGAYE, SABA

For: TRANSMISSION APPARATUS FOR MAKING RING SWITCHING AT DIFFERENT  
LEVELS

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 7, 2008, and having a period for response set to expire on February 7, 2009. A Petition for a three-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to May 7, 2009.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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